

BIG SANDY NEWS.

April 10th is Easter Sunday.

Bring your job work to the News office.

Born, to R. C. McClure and wife, a daughter.

Judge Stewart has been sick for several days.

M. F. Garred, of Richardson, was here yesterday.

W. S. Ransom was in town the last of last week.

S. G. Preston, of Paintsville, was in Louisa Monday.

Go to Snyder's and get a full set of Plow Harness for \$1.10.

A. J. Earp, a crayon artist, is teaching a class in this city.

Go to J. A. Hughes for the nicest and best Boots and Shoes.

Deputy Revenue Collector, Z. C. Vinson, was in town Monday.

Spend Arbor Day (next Saturday) in Pine Hill Cemetery.

Farmers, bring in our old plow points and exchange for new ones at Snyder's.

Miss Gipsie Northup was visiting home folks last week. She left Tuesday evening to resume her studies at the W. F. C. Cincinnati.

Go to Snyder's and get a good Plow Bridle for 50 cents. A good riding Bridle for 40 cents.

Mr. A. P. Borders, of Peach Orchard, was taken sick here last week, and is now at Mr. W. D. Roffe's slightly improved.

Go to J. A. Hughes, where you can get more goods for one dollar, than an house in the State.

Go to J. A. Hughes for the noblest and latest style Hats for Mens Boys, Children, Ladies and Misses.

The mite given by the School last Friday night was a complete success. The proceeds netted \$17.00, which is amply sufficient to buy the dictionary and holder.

Go to J. A. Hughes and see his line of White Goods, Seersuckers, Gingham and those beautiful Satteens.

The Smith brothers, whose examining trials were set for last Friday, waived an examination, and were taken to the Boyd county jail by Jailor Vinson and Sheriff See.

J. A. Hughes has just received his spring stock. Biggest line and lowest prices in town. Come and look whether you want to purchase or not.

Mr. A. G. Rice, of Centralia, Mo., and Miss Mary C. Garred, of Stone House, were married last evening at the bride's house. Elder Cook, of this place, performed the ceremony.

Mothers go to J. A. Hughes and see those beautiful suits for boys from 4 years old up. Nicest and best line of Clothing for Men and Boys ever brought to Louisa.

Tom Carter, who was sentenced to the penitentiary for life at the last term of Criminal Court here was taken last week to the penitentiary by Sheriff Shannon.

If you want a nice suit made to order go to J. A. Hughes. He has 300 styles to select from and he guarantees you a perfect fit at 15 to 20 per cent less than traveling salesman's prices, as he has no railroad or hotel bills to pay.

Supt. R. C. McClure has revoked all teacher's certificates granted by any Lawrence county Board of Examiners. For an explanation read his article in another column.

Wm. Ray and wife arrived here last week from Pennsylvania. After spending a few days here Mr. Ray departed for Seattle, Washington Territory. Mrs. Ray will spend the summer here.

A Genial Restorative.
Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are emphatically a genial restorative. The changes which this great botanical remedy produces in the disordered organization are always agreeable, though surely progressive, never abrupt and violent. On this account it is admirably adapted to persons of delicate constitution and weak nerves, to whom the powerful mineral drugs are positively injurious. That it initiates those processes which result in the re-establishment of healthy vigor is conclusively shown in cases where it is taken to overcome that fruitful cause of debility, indigestion, coupled, as it usually is, with biliousness and constipation. Thorough digestion, regular evacuation and abundant excretion, are results which promptly and invariably attend its systematic use. It is, besides, the best protective against malaria, and a first-rate diuretic.

NOTICE.

A mass Convention of the Democracy of Lawrence county, Kentucky, is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Louisa on Saturday, April 23rd, at one o'clock p.m. for the purpose of appointing delegates to attend the State Convention, which will be held in the city of Louisville on the 4th day of May, 1887, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various State offices, to be voted for at the next August election. All the Democrats of Lawrence county are invited to attend.
JAS. Q. LACKEY,
Ch'n Dem. Ex. Com. Lawrence co.

Millinery and Dress Making.

I desire to inform my old customers and the general public that I am fully prepared to fill all orders. A liberal share of patronage is solicited. Great care will be taken to please those who are kind enough to give us a call.
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Mrs. M. R. LAYNE, Corner Main & Lady Washington Streets, Louisa, Ky.

Rev. W. E. Powell, of Parkersburg, W. Va., was in town last week. He is a prominent figure in the Baptist Church of West Virginia, and preached at the Cassville Baptist church Friday night.

Miss Jack Carey, of Stone House, Miss Martha Roberts, of Smoky Valley, Miss Lizzie Peck, of Peck's Station, and Miss Josie Vaughan, of Prestonsburg, are attending Dr. Wroten's school.

There was a mite at the M. E. Church last Tuesday evening. This Church will soon put \$1,200 repairs on their building, and they intend giving a mite at the church every Tuesday evening until the repairs are begun.

Miss Maggie Hatcher has opened a complete stock of millinery goods in a room of the old Railroad House. The goods are all direct from New York, and are of the latest styles. Her prices are low. Read her advertisement in another column.

Rev. L. H. Suddith left Tuesday for an extended trip through Central Kentucky for the purpose of securing funds to complete the Baptist church at this place. We hope he will be successful, as the church when completed will be an ornament to our city.

Dr. Weis has applied for a patent on a clothes rack. It is one of the most useful inventions we have seen. It is intended to be used mainly as an attachment to the head of a bed, on which to hang your clothes on retiring at night. It can, however, be put to many other uses. Without an examination its completeness cannot be appreciated.

WHAT TRUE MERIT WILL DO.

The unprecedented sale of Boschee's German Syrup within a few years, has astonished the world. It is without doubt the safest and best remedy ever discovered for the speedy and effectual cure of coughs, colds, and the severest lung troubles. It acts on an entirely different principle from the usual prescriptions given by physicians, as it does not dry up a cough and leave the disease still in the system, but on the contrary, removes the cause of the trouble, heals the parts affected and leaves them in a purely healthy condition. A bottle kept in the house for use when the diseases make their appearance, will save doctor's bills and a long and serious illness. A trial will convince you of these facts. It is positively sold by all druggists and general dealers in the land. Price 75 cts., large bottles.

Office of Superintendent of Schools.

Louisa, Ky., March 30th, 1887.

All certificates issued to teachers in Lawrence Co. will expire June 30th 1887, Common School Law, Sec. 3, Art. IX., and of this fact, Trustees will please take notice, that certificates bearing an earlier date than March, 30th 1887, are at this office considered null and void after the expiration of the present school year, and should any set of Trustees employ a teacher holding such a certificate, I shall most assuredly refuse to pay them the public money due their district.

I do this only after mature and careful consideration and I had sincerely hoped to be spared the decision of a question to which so much responsibility attaches; and not until I had consulted my superior in office, Hon. J. D. Pickett did I determine to do so, and for the benefit of teachers to be affected by this decision, I publish, verbatim, a letter from the Honorable Superintendent of Public Instruction, in reply to a letter of inquiry from myself regarding the expediency of this step.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

FRANKFORT, FEB. 25TH, 1887.

R. C. McCLURE, C. S. C. S., LOUISA, KY.

DEAR SIR:—

In reply to your letter of inquiry, I refer you to Sec. 3, Art. IX., Common

School Laws. This is sufficient to warrant your action in the premises. "As the Teacher, so will be the School," is a truism, and we shall never have good schools until we secure good teachers. Your interest in this matter is highly appreciated, and I shall look for good results from your intelligent spirit and honest purpose. Let me hear from you again on this important subject. With best wishes,
Yours truly,
JOS. DENNA PICKETT,
Supt. Pub. Instruction.

My action in this will, in part, better enable me to care for the schools of my county and see that the same are supplied with qualified teachers and will enable me to better acquaint myself with attainments of teachers who may seek schools in Lawrence county. I may by this incur the censure of some, but I shall have the consciousness of knowing that I am acting for the public good.

Any one who accepts the responsible position of a teacher, should be possessed of a good moral character, known qualifications, discriminating judgment and not be under eighteen years of age.

Not wishing to reflect upon my predecessor in office, I assert that it is publicly talked even among teachers themselves in the county, that some of their co-laborers are totally incompetent, and that it is compromising with ignorance to license them; and again that others hold certificates of too high a grade gotten through chicanery and trickery, and have been allowed to familiarize themselves with State questions in other counties with a view to passing the examination in Lawrence county. This may or may not be true.

"It is true it is a pity,
And 'tis pity if 'tis true"

But the question is one of sufficient moment to demand attention and being the mutual friend of both teacher and pupil, I propose to give the teachers of my county an opportunity to resent the insult by submitting themselves to a fair and impartial examination, each passing upon his or her own merits, and not the merits of his friend upstairs or on the outside, and by so doing I will be enabled to protect the schools of my county from quacks who would teach if they were permitted, although shamefully incompetent. I desire that a certificate shall be made evidence of a teachers qualification and ability to teach;—do not mean by this that the board will be foolishly strict and refuse a certificate because the applicant fails to locate some unimportant sea port or give the exact date of some battle of the Revolutionary war, or fail in spelling Pharisee or Sadoce—no! this—and I trust none of the teachers of my county will contemplate anything of the kind. I have tried to exercise judgment in the selection of my Board of Examiners and I feel assured that with the assistance of Prof. G. M. Elam of Hood and Miss Hannah Moore of Louisa, I will be enabled to make the examinations practicable, the first of which, will be held in Louisa, May 19th, 20th, and 21st. The second at the Mouth of Hood, May 27th and 28th, and also at Louisa on the 3rd and 4th Saturdays in July and August—Common School Laws, Sec. 2, Art. IX.

Certificates good for longer period than present school year, taken in lieu of examination fee.

Not more than twenty applicants will be admitted for examination in any one day.

R. C. McCLURE,
Supt. Schools.

A man who has practiced medicine for 40 years ought to know salt from sugar; read what he says:

TOLEDO, O., Jan. 10, '87.

Messrs. F. J. Cheney & Co.—Gentlemen:—I have been in the general practice of medicine for most 40 years, and would say that in all my practice and experience, have never seen a preparation that I could prescribe with as much confidence of success as I can HALL'S CATARRH CURE, manufactured by you. Have prescribed it a great many times and its effect is wonderful, and would say in conclusion that I have yet to find a case of Catarrh that it would not cure, if they would take it according to directions.

Yours truly,

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

Adopted by the State Board of Health of Kentucky and Recommended for Adoption by County, City and Town Boards of Health.

RULE 2. The health officer shall make a sanitary survey of the territory under his jurisdiction for the purpose of ascertaining the conditions detrimental to the public health, including in such survey, swamp lands, stagnant ponds, imperfect drainage, sewerage, cess-pools, and water-closets; the construction, ventilation and drainage of public buildings, school-houses, prisons, hospitals, eleemosynary institutions, and such nuisances as might prove detrimental to the public health.

3. No privy vault, cess-pool or reservoir, into which a privy, water-closet, stable, or sink is drained, except it be water-tight, shall be permitted within a hundred feet of any well, spring or other source of water used for drinking or culinary purposes.

4. Earth privies, or earth closets, with no vault below the surface of the ground, shall be excepted in rule 3, but sufficient dry earth or coal ashes must be used daily to absorb daily all the fluid parts of the deposit, and the entire content must be removed monthly.

5. All privy vaults, cess pools or reservoirs named in rule three should be cleaned out at least once a year, and from the 1st of May to the 1st of November of each year shall have added to the contents of the vault once every month, one or two pounds of copperas, dissolved in a pailful of water.

6. No privy vault or cess-pool shall open into any stream, ditch or drain, except common sewers.

7. Within the limits of any town (which area shall constitute health limits) no night-soil or contents of cess-pools shall be removed unless previously deodorized by mixing with solution of copperas, and during removal the material shall be covered with a layer of fresh earth, except the removal be for the "odorless excavating process."

8. All sewer drains that pass within fifty feet of any source of water used for drinking or culinary purposes shall be water-tight.

9. No sewer drain shall empty into any pond or other source of water used for drinking or culinary purposes, nor into any standing water within the jurisdiction of this Board.

10. No garbage, materials manufactured in part or in whole of wool, leather, etc., or other materials which evolve offensive gases during combustion, shall be burned within the limits of a town.

11. No house offal, dead animals, or refuse of any kind shall be thrown upon the streets or any alley or left exposed by any person; and no butcher, fishmonger or vender of merchandise of any kind, shall leave any kind of refuse upon the streets or in any alley, or uncovered by earth upon the lots of this city; and all putrid and decayed animal or vegetable matter must be removed from all cellars and outbuildings on or before May 1st of each year.

12. All families, hotels, restaurants, and others accumulating garbage, are required to have a proper covered receptacle for swill and house offal, and to cause the contents to be regularly removed as often as twice a week, between May 1st and November 1st, and once a week at all other seasons.

13. Between May 1st and November 1st no hogs shall be kept within the limits named in rule seven, except in pens with floors, kept entirely free from standing water, and regularly and freely disinfected; and during the months named no hogs shall be kept elsewhere within the jurisdiction of this Board, within five hundred feet of any dwelling, except in pens with dry floors, or kept free from standing water. This Board will order the removal of such animals at any time when they appear to be prejudicial to the public health, safety or comfort.

14. No animal affected with an infectious or contagious disease shall be brought or kept within the limits of the jurisdiction of the Board, except by permission of the Board. No diseased animal or its flesh, and no decayed, diseased or unfit meat, fish, vegetables or fruit, or diseased, impure or adulterated milk, or other article shall be offered for sale as food.

15. No slaughter house or abattoir shall be established or used as such within the limits specified in rule seven, and none elsewhere within the jurisdiction of this Board, unless kept free from all obnoxious smells, and all offal removed every day; and no melting or rendering house, and no place for manufacturing or other business giving rise to obnoxious or injurious vapors or odors, shall be established or used as such within the jurisdiction of this Board except by its special permission and location.

The above rules and regulations have been adopted by the Lawrence County Board of Health, and will be rigidly enforced.
F. W. WEIS,
Health Officer.

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